1512 2612

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.:

09/834,165

Applicant(s):

Toshiyuki TANAKA, Yasuhiro MORIMOTO, Hiroaki KUBO,

and Masahito NIIKAWA

For:

ELECTRONIC CAMERA

Confirmation No.:

3597

Customer No.:

24367

Docket No.:

15162/03520

Filed:

April 12, 2001

Group Art Unit:

2612

Examiner:

Wendy Rae Garber

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

November 12, 2004

Date of Deposit

Michael J. DeHaemer

Name of Applicant, Assignee, or Registered Representative

Signature

November 12, 2004

Date of Signature

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action, dated October 22, 2004, which provides for a response period ending November 22, 2004.